

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

AJINOMOTO HEARTLAND LLC,	)	
a Delaware Corporation,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	
	)	
GLOBAL BIO-CHEM TECHNOLOGY GROUP	)	
COMPANY, LIMITED,	)	C. A. No. 06-268-JJF
a Cayman Islands Corporation;	)	
	)	
CHANGCHUN DACHENG BIO-CHEM	)	
ENGINEERING DEVELOPMENT COMPANY,	)	
LIMITED,	)	
a People's Republic of China Corporation;	)	
	)	
CHANGCHUN BAOCHENG BIO-CHEM	)	
DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, LIMITED,	)	
a People's Republic of China Corporation;	)	
	)	
CHANGCHUN DAHE BIO TECHNOLOGY	)	
DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, LIMITED,	)	
a People's Republic of China Corporation;	)	
	)	
BIO-CHEM TECHNOLOGY (HK) LIMITED,	)	
a Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	)	
Corporation,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

**AJINOMOTO HEARTLAND LLC'S RULE 7.1 DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Plaintiff, Ajinomoto Heartland LLC ("Heartland"), hereby states that it is a private company organized under the laws of the State of Delaware. Heartland is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Ajinomoto USA, Inc. ("AJI-USA"). AJI-USA is a private company organized under the laws of the State of Delaware. The parent of AJI-USA is Ajinomoto Co. Inc. ("AJICO"). AJICO is a public

company in Japan organized under the laws of Japan. AJICO owns more than 10% of the stock of AJI-USA.

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